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Beat The Rush

Please give us your copy on Mondays or at least by noon on Tuesdays. We are trying not to get swamped Tuesday nights.

Local Housing Activist Nat Shinderman, 85, Dies

by Barbara Likowski

Nathan (Nat) Shinderman, 85, died on Sunday, September 24, 2000. He had been living with his daughter Janet Pincus for a few months and died peacefully in his daughter and son-in-law's arms.

Nat and his wife, Florence, moved to Greenbelt with their infant daughter in 1944. They first planned to stay in Greenbelt until they could decide where they wanted to live. They never left. According to an article in the Greenbelt Homes newsletter the Shindermans felt that Greenbelt was "a way of living, not merely housing - it's what kept us here."

The Shindermans grew up around the corner from each other in the South Bronx, New York and met when they were 13. They eloped in 1939.



Nathan (Nat) Shinderman

Seniors' Main Concern Is Stop Sign Scofflaws

by Maria Piazzola

City seniors and officials met Saturday at the Annual Senior Citizen Open Forum to express concerns about traffic safety and other seniors' issues.

Most of this year's forum, which was attended by 25 to 30 people, was devoted to discussing traffic and pedestrian safety issues. Many citizens expressed concern about drivers who fail to yield at crosswalks and intersections. The most talked-about problem area was the Ridge Road/Laurel Hill Road intersection. Bill Souser of Hillside Road noticed the problem while resting at a bench near the intersection.

"I watched about 30 vehicles go through that intersection," Souser said. "Only one came to a complete stop. I see this happen at almost every intersection."

Mayor Judith Davis agreed that this was a problem at many intersections. As noted by those present, cars, bicycles and city trucks were contributing to the problem. She promised to address the issue with the city manager.

Cpl. James Donovan, Bike Unit Supervisor, suggested that citizens help in catching those who violate traffic laws.

"There are not enough officers to have one at every intersection,"

Nat received his bachelor's degree from New York University and started out to be a math teacher. However, during the Depression there were few such jobs. He was employed as a statistician with the New York City Housing Authority before coming to Washington, D.C. In Washington he held the position of Personnel Officer, later Program Development Officer, with the United States Civil Service Commission. He enjoyed his work and looked forward to going to work every day. He wanted to make a difference in government and felt he had succeeded in that. When his wife became seriously ill, he retired to be with her. They were fortunate that they had 13 more years together.

Nat was committed and dedicated to his wife and family. He made an impact also on other people's lives. He was never too busy to listen and talk to others. Many stayed in contact with him even after they left the area.

Dedicated to GHI, Nat worked long and hard to make the cooperative possible. He became a member of the Greenbelt Veterans Housing Corporation (GVHC), which was formed when the federal government decided to sell Greenbelt. Priority for home purchase was given to people already living in the home. The Shindermans moved to the 2 court of Westway.

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State Will Assess Property at 100%

Greenbelt property owners can expect the assessed valuations on their property to more than double but their next tax rates to be reduced by about 40%. The changes will not affect the amount of taxes a property owner will pay. They result from state legislation requiring taxable property to be assessed at full value. Currently it is assessed at about 40% of true value.

The new legislation will be phased in over the next year. Tax levies were adopted for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2000 based on the old assessments. During the year homeowners will receive notice of revisions to the assessments, and of adjustments of the local tax rates to 40% of the original levy to assure that the assessment change does not increase taxes. The adjusted rates will establish the basis for determining constant yield tax rates for future years. Tax bills for the next fiscal year will be based on the new assessments and the lowered tax rates.

Local governments wishing to increase their property tax rates will still be subject to requirements of the constant yield tax provisions. Each year the state calculates the constant yield tax rate for each local government, the tax rate for the new year that yields the same dollar amount of tax revenue. These rates will be 40% lower when the assessments are increased to 100% so as to keep the dollar yield of tax levies the same.

For a local government to set a tax rate above the constant yield rate requires the local government to advertise the proposed increase and hold a public hearing.

With the revision in assessments, the Homeowners Property Tax Credit, which currently applies only to the first \$60,000 of assessments, will be changed to apply to the first \$150,000. Assessment caps, as usual, will apply to full value assessments for future years after the adjustment is made.

For more information, readers can visit the state web site at www.dat.state.md.us, or call 301-309-3361.

nior programming. The task force met for the first time in the beginning of 1988 and by the end of the year started meeting

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What Goes On

Mon, Oct. 2, 8 p.m. - Council Work Session on Millennium Committee Task Force Report, Municipal Bldg.

Thurs., Oct. 5, 7:30 p.m. - GHI Bd. meeting, Hamilton Place.



Miss Greenbelt 2000 is Joanna Andrus, a fourth generation Greenbelter. - photo by Sharon Natoli

Joanna Andrus Crowned Miss Greenbelt 2000

by Altoria Bell Ross

After three pageants and a summer trip to Italy, Joanna Andrus was crowned Miss Greenbelt this year during the Labor Day festival weekend. Last year the 16-year old was second runner up.

"You have to be social with everybody and to handle stress," says Andrus, who plays the flute in the concert band and is on the flag team at Eleanor Roosevelt High School. Along with nine other Roosevelt students, Andrus joined other students in Chicago in June and traveled to Venice, Verona, Paupau, and Rome to practice their Italian. Next summer, Andrus plans to visit Spain to do the same with her Spanish.

To complement her language and music skills, Andrus likes to dance and performed a hip hop routine with Laura Green and

Kateri Hull to "There You Go." Andrus is athletic too. She teaches swim lessons to children at the Greenbelt Aquatic Center, where her mother, Julie, also works. Andrus also likes to write poetry and short stories and to read. It was after reading Patricia Cornwell's "The Black Notice" and watching FBI Files and Autopsy 1, 2 and 3 on cable, that she decided to pursue a career in forensics. "I think it's an amazing field," says Andrus, whose grandfather, Joseph Andrus, is a National Park Police officer. "You get clues on how someone was killed, and the family can get closure."

Miss Greenbelt Runners Up: first runner up - Deborah Girma; second runner up and Miss Congeniality - Kateri Hull; third runner up and most spirited - Laura Green; and most photogenic - Stephanie Gillespie.

Spirited Emily Ivy Named Junior Miss Greenbelt

by Altoria Bell Ross

The third time proved to be the charm for the newly crowned Junior Miss Greenbelt, Emily Ivy. Ivy, whose peers voted her most spirited, placed first runner up in the Labor Day festival pageant for the last two years.

"I was in it to have a good time and to meet new people," said Ivy, who celebrated her 13th birthday shortly after the pageant. She said participat-

ing in the pageants has taught her the value of friendship. Ivy, her sponsor and neighbor Jeannie Smith and her daughter Kelly Jean, performed a line dance and have developed a deep bond.

The St. Hugh's seventh grader would like to become a marine biologist, studying whales and dolphins. For recreation, she plays softball, basketball, bikes, and walks her

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Letters

THANKS

As outgoing president of the Greenbelt Labor Day Festival, I want to thank all the festival goers for attending and once again enduring the rain. I think the carnival guy said it best. He said "this is amazing because it rains and people leave, but it's different in a community — they just keep coming back." Greenbelt is Great and I thank you all.

I thank the Greenbelt Labor Day Festival committee members, the community, Public Works, the Recreation Department, the Community Center staff, and the Police Department, who all worked together to make this weekend a success.

Also many thanks to the Greenbelt News Review and Gazette for supporting the festival. I want to take the time to thank all of the participants. Once again, thanks to all for coming out and supporting the Labor Day Festival and all the volunteer organizations that use this for their year-round fund raising. Greenbelt is Great!

Barbara Ransom, President
Greenbelt Labor Day
Festival Committee

An Apology

Gary Shank, I'm glad to know your name, and to answer publicly the important issues you raised publicly (Letters, Sept. 21). I especially want to apologize for seeming to threaten your family while trying to get our float onto Crescent Road in time for the parade. It could have been part of a bravado act, imitating the attitudes of missile builders, but it wasn't. I hate to admit it, but it's not the first time I seemed to threaten someone during the parade. One year I carried a "not axe" with a large "Not" sign on it, for not cutting trees. I marched up to one terrified lady, and asked her to hold my axe while I went over and hugged a tree. I think she soon understood what I was doing,

and that I meant her no harm.

I was in charge of getting four parade units going. I was told on Sunday that we could meet in front of St. Hugh's, and in fact it became necessary, as our 50' trailer could not turn corners well, and could not be backed up. When we started to assemble on Monday morning, we found that we were given numbers 51 through 54 in the parade, and were expected near Lastner Lane. Two of our groups indeed met there, and marched down to meet us at St. Hugh's. It took a lot of cooperation between parade managers and our groups to make this work. We had a very short time to inflate the 50' nuclear missile. As I was having difficulty coordinating with the driver of the float during a test run Tuesday night, I was concerned that there would be problems getting the float into place in front of St. Hugh's, but not under the low trees just ahead that would make inflation of the missile impossible. So I had a lot on my mind, and when the driver came by, I made my intemperate remark to "run over them if they don't move" to the driver, who understood it as my form of dark humor, actually meaning to both of us, "watch out that you don't run over them." But I can understand that when overheard by normal people, it would sound threatening. I'm sorry for that, especially as it affects the public view of our group. I should be more careful in the future, and more direct in my statements. In the meantime, in case I fail again, I hope that people learn that I occasionally make cynical-sounding contradictory statements like this to certain people to relieve tension, not to raise it. I believe, that I spoke to you briefly about our trying to avoid inconveniencing you, but I'm not sure just what I said. As for not discussing it with you then, I think you will agree that I was a bit busy at the time! So I am glad to be able to explain myself at this time. And I am glad that you appreciated the good cause and good message of the group. Perhaps you will participate next

year, and make preparation for the parade easier for all of us, and help me to be more careful in my remarks.

As for our "car vandalizer," this is a relic of our activist heritage. Some of our members are used to protesting against police actions in the past and one forgot that we are now all friends participating in a parade. (She doesn't live in Greenbelt.) I immediately grabbed the bumper stickers and handed them out to the other police, so that they might make their own decisions about putting them on their employer's cars and motorcycles, or possibly on their own cars. I thought it was a good exchange, considering the many nice D.A.R.E. and other things they give out at their booths. The one vandalized car is also from outside of Greenbelt, which is no excuse.

But I am embarrassed the most by another fact; that I am considered "older." I'll just have to dye my beard more often!

Doug Love

"Lighten Up"

As prevalent as world hunger is, there is also a tremendous amount of sadness and misery. I do not wish to have Colette Zanin lighten up on her stance of wasteful food practices (Letters, Sept. 21), only to view the contest herself. As an eyewitness to this year's "pie-eating contest" and one who has worked for organizations which combat world hunger and poverty, I think the contest was neither wasteful nor offensive. Since each contestant only ate one pie (although as quickly as possible) instead of multiple pies, there was very little waste. The sharing of themselves and personal time by the parties and the sponsors was seen by me to be selfless, and that is commendable. I walked away from this year's contest with a sense of communal joy and inner happiness. I must admit I also enjoyed the articles written in our paper, although they were heavily laced with embellishments! I do not know how many children go to bed unhappy each night, though I believe myself,

Patrick and the other children walked away amused, entertained and genuinely happy, and that is a good thing. I agree with Colette Zanin that we "should be very grateful" and not lose sight of others in need...remembering also there is much more to it than just bellies to be filled!

Doug Mangum

Hearing Rescheduled

At the request of the developer, the September 21 hearing on the preliminary plat of subdivision for the 3.74 acre portion of the Jaeger tract bordering Kenilworth Avenue was postponed. The issue was rescheduled to the Thursday, October 5 meeting of the Prince George's County Planning Board at 9 a.m. in the County Hearing Room of the County Administration Building in Upper Marlboro.

According to Joe Del Balzo, planner in the Subdivision Section, Development Review Division, the developer requested the continuance in order to confer with citizens. More information was needed about the impact of the proposed 37 apartment units on an existing nearby easement.

FORUM

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regularly. In May 1989, city council passed a resolution that established a permanent senior task force, the Senior Citizen's Advisory Committee.

The committee's past accomplishments include creating Pedestrian Safety Week, the Assisted Living Task Force and the Not For Seniors Only programs, a series of seminars that provide health, finance, and social education to seniors and other members of the community. Hughes said the committee's biggest project currently is improving assisted living. The Assisted Living Task Force has studied possible changes and their report is currently being reviewed by the city council. Assisted living was mentioned only briefly at the Forum.

The second committee "tradition" was letting citizens pass around the microphone to answer Committee Chairperson Helen Geller's question, "Why do you think Greenbelt is great?"

"It's because of what we see here now," said Harvey Geller of Northway. "Citizens interested in where we live and making it better than we left it, if we do happen to leave."

Channel B-10 Schedule

Greenbelt Municipal/Public Access TV

MUNICIPAL ACCESS-301-474-8000

Tuesday and Thursday October 3 & 5

- 4:30 p.m. - "Labor Day Parade"
- 6:00 p.m. - "Labor Day Festival presents Ida Seibert"
- 6:45 p.m. - "Senior Forum"
- 8:30 p.m. - "Labor Day Festival presents Bad Weather Boyz"

PUBLIC ACCESS-GATE-301-507-6581

Wednesday and Friday October 4 & 6

- 7:00 p.m. - "Labor Day Highlights III"
- 8:00 p.m. - "Public Safety"
- 8:30 p.m. - "Miss Greenbelt 2000"

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CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS & WORK SESSIONS OCTOBER 2000



Meeting

Work Session on Millennium Comm. Task Force Report
No Meeting
4 Cities Meeting (Berwyn Heights Town Center)
No Meeting (Yom Kippur, Columbus Day)
Interview for Advisory Board (Municipal Library)
Regular Meeting
*Vendors' Demos on Playground Materials
Work Session II on Plan to Upgrade City Playgrounds
Public Hearing - Purchase of Greenbelt Theatre (Comm. Cntr.)
Reception for Sylvester Conyers, Principal of ERHS
Regular Meeting
Work Session on TBA (Community Center)
Work Session on TBA

Date

Mon. 10/2
Wed. 10/4
Thurs. 10/5
Mon. 10/9
Wed. 10/11
Wed. 10/11
Mon. 10/16
Mon. 10/16
Wed. 10/18
Mon. 10/23
Mon. 10/23
Wed. 10/25
Mon. 10/30

Time

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*Scheduling not confirmed.

This is a tentative schedule and is subject to change. Regular meetings and work sessions are open to the public. All interested citizens are invited to attend. If special accommodations are required to make this meeting accessible to any disabled person, please call 301-474-8000 or 301-474-2046 (TDD) before 10:00 a.m. on the day of the meeting. Unless otherwise noted, all meetings will be held in the Council Room of the Municipal Building.

Kathleen Gallagher
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Greenbelt Community Center at 15 Crescent Rd.
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"Explore" Collage In "Unlimited" Way

On Friday, October 6, the "Explorations Unlimited" speaker will be Nicole DeWald, Arts Coordinator for the Greenbelt Recreation Department. DeWald will be facilitating a "hands-on" collage party. Participants will learn about collage-type print-making techniques and are asked to bring material scraps of any texture and color, and images that will be copied. Adhesives will be provided.

"Explorations Unlimited" is a speaker series held every Friday from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Greenbelt Community Center. This presentation will be held in the Senior Classroom. Everyone is welcome to attend and questions are always encouraged. Please call 301-397-2208 for information.

Voter Registration Books

Voter registration books will be open only until 9 p.m., October 13. For information call 301-952-3270.

Woodland Way Will Get Curbs and Paving

by Mary Moien

Acting Director of Public Works Kenny Hall met with residents of Woodland Way on September 7 and 14 to describe the curbing and paving activities that will take place in the next several weeks. Hall anticipates that curb work may begin as early as October 2 with paving to follow curb completion.

Parking will be available on at least one side of the street at all times, Hall said, and during paving, only short street closings will be necessary.

Of prime importance to residents is the fact that they will be able to have the contractor make repairs to their sidewalks and driveways at city prices. Once an agreement is reached on work to be completed, the city will pay the contractor and bill the homeowner.

Woodland Way residents who want additional work done should contact Hall immediately at 301-474-8004. GHI residents of Woodland Way need to discuss any additional work with GHI in addition to the city.

Hall also indicated that, although the street will be open after repaving, residents would be well served to park on another street for a day or two after the blacktop is laid as the overlay spray can stick to cars causing a sticky mess.

Signs will be posted informing residents of parking and driving restrictions.

Community Events

At the Library

Children's Programs

Tuesday, October 3, 7 p.m. Cliffhangers. For ages 5 to 8.

Thursday, October 5, 10:15 a.m. Drop-In Storytime. For ages 3 to 5.

11:15 a.m., Toddler Time. Two-year-olds and parent or caregiver.

In the display case for October is an exhibit of Greenbelt Cooperatives.



Prostate Screening Available for Free

Doctors Community Hospital will conduct free prostate cancer screenings on Saturday, October 7, from 9 a.m. to noon, on the first floor of the Doctors Center for Ambulatory Surgery building, 8100 Good Luck Road. The screenings will include a PSA (prostate-specific antigen) blood test and a digital rectal exam by physicians specializing in urology.

Advance registration is required by contacting the Community Relations Department at 301-552-8561, Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Prostate cancer can often be cured when detected early, and effectively treated in its advanced stages

City Notes

The horticulture crew removed dead and hazardous trees at Schrom Hills Park.

The special details crew painted parking lots at the library and Attick Park, and assisted the parks crew with hauling and spreading playground wood chips.

The facility maintenance crew replaced condensing fans for air conditioning units at the community center and the fitness center, and replaced several lock sets at the Youth Center and Public Works.

Friends of Theater Meet October 5

Friends of the Old Greenbelt Theatre will meet at the Community Center at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, October 5.

The Friends are moving toward nonprofit status, in order to better aid the movie house. Also on the agenda will be the October 18 public hearing on the possible acquisition, by the city, of the historic theater.

The meeting is open to all. For information leave a phone number at 301-441-8249.

J Davis Is Honored

To recognize the achievements of American working women, Business and Professional Women/USA (BPW) celebrates National Business Women's Week October 16-20. The College Park branch this year is honoring as local Woman of the Year Judith Davis, Mayor of Greenbelt, at a Wednesday, October 11 dinner meeting at 6:30 p.m. in the New Deal Café. Davis will also be entered in the state BPW competitions for Woman of the Year. A dinner will be held at Fountain Head Country Club in Hagerstown Saturday October 21 from 1 to 4 p.m. to honor all entrants and choose a winner.

Call Jerry Greene for more information or to make reservations to attend the celebrations. 301-345-7611

GHI Notes

The Finance Committee will meet Monday, October 2 at 7:30 p.m. in the board room.

The pre-purchase orientation will be held at 7:15 p.m. in the reception area.

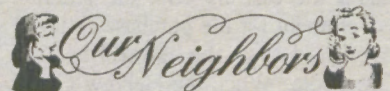
Blood pressure testing is available from 2 to 4 p.m. Wednesday, October 6 in the board room.

The scheduled board meetings for the month are on October 5 and 19. Members are encouraged to attend.

Home and Garden Club Meets Tuesday

Do desert plants grow in Greenbelt? Questions about indoor and outdoor gardening will be answered Tuesday, Oct. 3, at 7 p.m. at the Community Center.

Guests are welcome to this meeting of the Greenbelt Home and Garden Club, at which speaker Carol Carter will delve into the delights of desert vegetation. For questions call Diane Kremer at 301-345-5356.



Greenbelters were saddened by the death of longtime activist and resident Nathan (Nat) Shinderman. Our sympathy to his family and friends.

Our sympathy to former Greenbelter and vice-president of the News Review Board of Directors, Mavis Fletcher on the death of her husband, James Austin Fletcher.

Congratulations to Karen Kaplan, daughter of News Review staffer Judy Goldstein, who has been named executive director of the newly-created Connecticut Commission for Educational Technology. She previously served as coordinator of instructional technology for a Hamden, Connecticut firm.

It's a girl! Maureen Fern and husband Pablo Jusem are proud parents of Oona Veronica, who made her debut September 10 at the Union Memorial Hospital in Baltimore. Maureen and Pablo are graduates of Roosevelt High School and the University of Maryland. Maureen is a former winner of the Alfred M. Skolnik Award offered each year by the News Review. Proud grandparents are Kathleen Fern of Greenbelt and William Fern of Silver Spring; and Eva and Juan Carlos Jusem of Greenbelt. Proud great-grandma Sally Crowe also lives in Greenbelt.

"The Birds" Is Movie Of Month at Center

by Martha Kaufman

The movie of the month at the Community Center will be shown on Monday, October 9 at 1 p.m. in the senior classroom.

The suspenseful film, "The Birds," will be shown. It is a classic Hitchcock thriller starring Tippi Hedren, Rod Taylor and Jessica Tandy. The story portrays a small, isolated town in the coastal California area which is invaded by hundreds of vicious birds.

Golden Age Club

by Ruth Huggins

President Bill Souser presided over the September 20 meeting. Florence Holly led members in prayer. Betty Petroff, Sunshine chair, sent a note of cheer to Norma Van Allen. She also announced that treasurer Robert Terrell is a brand new great-grandfather.

President Souser announced the Fun and Fitness Program is in need of volunteers to baby sit. If interested, contact the front office. Bunny Fitzgerald announced the Senior Citizen Advisory Board sponsored the September 23 Annual Open Forum.

Karen Haseley asked for volunteers to help in the kitchen. Phyllis Budin, Norma Van Allen, Nick and Vita Pergola volunteered to help.

Arlene Souser, Membership Committee, announced the September birthday celebrants: Joan Conway, Don Davis, Betty Dietch (received Honorary Golden Age Certificate), Bud Hinson, Al Geiger, James Giese, Catherine Holcombe, Dorothea Leslie, Harvey Nichols, Jack Owens, Kenneth Keeney, Katherine Reynolds and Dorothy Wilhelm. Betty Dietch read the poem, "Now That I'm 80." The birthday drawing was won by James Giese. The 50/50 drawing was won by Robert Terrell and Lillian Greenbaum.

Thank you, Dolores, for writing the Golden Age Column while I was on vacation.



BESPEAKS BOSWELL THE DOG:

REGULATION 2:

Persons residing in P.G. County must not allow their pets to run at-large [i.e. must be on a leash].

WHY:

- ↳ Pets will avoid the risk of being run over;
- ↳ Pets will be less likely to encounter rabid animals;
- ↳ Pets will not enter into territorial fights due to their meeting other animals;
- ↳ Pets will not frighten/bite persons they might encounter or be harmed by them

PET: Any domesticated animal maintained in P.G. (or the GHI) community, including cats.

INFORMATION PROVIDED BY THE GHI PET SUBCOMMITTEE



PRELIMINARY AGENDA MEETING OF GHI BOARD OF DIRECTORS Thursday, October 5, 2000 GHI Board Room

Key Agenda Items

- a) Requests for Exceptions - (3)
 - ◆ 6R Ridge Road - Addition
 - ◆ 13D Ridge Road - Addition
 - ◆ 12M Ridge Road - Fence
- b) Vehicle Purchase - Panel Van
- c) Meter Pads Contract - 1st Reading
- d) Fall Concrete Program - 2nd Reading
- e) 2001 Proposed Budget
- f) Requests for Contributions - 2nd Reading
 - ◆ Prince George's County Chapter of the American Red Cross
 - ◆ Race for Cooperative Development
- g) Self Storage - Feasibility Study
- h) Bell Atlantic Easement

Regular Board Meetings Are Open To Members.



ATTENTION PROSPECTIVE MEMBERS

Greenbelt Homes, Inc. (GHI), one of the oldest and most established housing cooperatives in the country, is offering brief and informative presentations designed to introduce cooperative life style to you. The presentation will explain what a cooperative is, how it operates, what services are provided members, and financing sources which are available. This information will be useful to you whether or not you purchase membership in the cooperative or decide to purchase a home elsewhere. This is an ideal opportunity for you to learn about GHI in a relaxed atmosphere and afford you the opportunity to make an informed decision about your future housing needs.

The next presentations are scheduled as follows:

MONDAY - October 2, 2000 7:15 p.m.

SATURDAY - October 21, 2000 11:00 a.m.

Please call the Receptionist at (301) 474-4161 for reservations and information. The sessions are free, and there is no obligation. There are lists of "Homes for Sale" at the GHI office. There is no charge.

GREENBELT HOMES, INC.
Hamilton Place
Greenbelt, Maryland 20770



OLD GREENBELT THEATRE

Week of September 29 The Exorcist

Fri. (4:45 @ \$4.00) 7:20 9:50

Sat. (4:45 @ \$4.00) 7:20 9:50

Sun. (4:45 @ \$4.00) 7:20

Mon.-Thurs. 7:30

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OBITUARIES

SHINDERMAN

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It took two years to sell all the homes within the housing co-op. During this time Nat and his wife were one of the couples who helped with the selling. Elaine Skolnik remembers how kind the Shindermans were to her and her husband, Al, showing them where available houses were, helping them, following them through the process.

Nat was active in the formative period of GVHC. As chairman of the Personnel Committee he developed the organization of the corporation and employed the staff and maintenance personnel. He also conducted a nationwide recruiting campaign which led to the employment of the corporation's first manager, Paul Campbell. Later, when GVHC became GHI, Nat wrote the corporation's personnel policies. He was employed by GHI as a consultant to conduct a personnel and management survey, the recommendations of which were adopted in their entirety.

A member of the GHI board of directors for 10 years, he decided not to run again in 1973. Nat served as president and held other offices on the boards of GHI and its GDC subsidiary (Greenbelt Development Corporation). He is believed to have been a member of more GHI committees than any other member. Even when he was not on the board, he had attended most GHI board meetings. He had the institutional memory of the corporation and was always willing to share what he knew. In 1995 he decided to again run for the board.

He believed the board should consider lean budgets but adequate to keep homes in optimum condition and continuance of reserve funds to give stability to the corporation. He was elected to the board and became board treasurer, the only board office he had not held in the past. He did not run again.

Nat, in the GHI newsletter article, said "Greenbelt is an outstanding environment where residents not only receive many benefits but also contribute in great measure Though we frequently have disagreements among us, this is healthy" Although Nat was sometimes described as a controversial figure, he main-

tained, "I am not concerned with who is on board and who is in control as long as they are competent people."

Indeed his contributions were offered in great measure. He served not only GHI but also the city. Because of a possible conflict of interest with his GHI offices, he was somewhat limited in city affairs. He served on the city Board of Elections and also did some personnel advisory work.

Nat served as a member of the Inter-Faith Committee, which negotiated successfully with the federal government for the purchase of land occupied by the churches in Greenbelt. When the Hebrew Congregation purchased land at the corner of Westway and Ridge Road, Nat was instrumental in organizing a group to build the synagogue. Members taught themselves brick-laying and other tasks and Nat was there to help, encourage and keep them going. Work was begun in 1952 and the building was dedicated in 1955. He also held the position of chairman of the board and served as president of the Congregation.

A member of the Greenbelt Lions club, Nat served as officer and member of the board.

Nat played tennis and was an avid golfer, having made three holes-in-one and after his retirement he played golf three or four times a week. He began to tutor four women he met on the golf course. This led to the founding of the Navy Golf School, where people could learn to play golf.

Nat played bridge in Greenbelt every Thursday. Even after he went to stay with his daughter, he came back to Greenbelt for his bridge games. He played his last game here last week and won first prize the week before.

Although ill and having to navigate in a wheelchair, Nat refused to let illness interfere with the quality of his life. In fact, his daughter Janet said, after each adversity or sickness, he seemed to get stronger. At GHI's annual meeting in May, Nat was introduced as a "vibrant example of cooperative principles." He was given an award and a standing ovation.

Nat was also designated as Di-

James Fletcher

James Austin Fletcher, 75, formerly of Pinecrest Court, died on Wednesday, September 27 of respiratory failure at Beaufort Memorial Hospital, Beaufort, South Carolina.

Mr. Fletcher was the son of James E. and Gertrude Austin Fletcher. He was born in Decatur, Indiana on July 29, 1925 and grew up in Marion, Ohio. He held bachelor's and master's degrees from Ohio State University.

He was a veteran of WWII and saw active duty in the European Theater of Operations. He was a career employee of the Department of Defense and retired in 1980.

Mr. Fletcher is survived by his wife Mavis Loeffler Fletcher.

A memorial service will be held at Copeland Funeral Home Chapel, Beaufort on Friday, Sept. 29. Burial will be in Manhattan, Kansas.

Memorial contributions in Mr. Fletcher's memory may be made to the Lions Club of Beaufort, P.O. Box 658, Beaufort, South Carolina 29901

rector emeritus, the first GHI member to be so named.

A caring, positive and loving person to whom his grandchildren and others felt free to come to to discuss problems, Nat continuously gave to others.

His survivors include his daughter Susan and her husband, George Daves, his daughter Janet and her husband, Harold Pincus, and two grandchildren, Jennifer and Stephanie Pincus.

Services were held Tuesday, September 26 at Mishkan Torah Congregation. Interment was at King David Memorial Gardens, Falls Church.

Memorial contributions may be made to Mishkan Torah Congregation, 10 Ridge Road. Messages of sympathy may be sent to the Pincus residence, 11317 Berger Terrace, Potomac, Maryland.

Camellia Talk

On Saturday, October 7 at 10 a.m., world-famous camellia grower Ray Watson will discuss camellia culture and introduce new fall- and spring-blooming varieties at Behnke's Beltsville nursery. The event is free.

Eulogy Recalls Life of Nat Shinderman

by Barbara Bonham Young

"Teach us to use all our day," intoned Rabbi Jonathan Cohen, at Mishkan Torah Congregation services Tuesday morning, September 26 for Nathan (Nat) Shinderman, 85, who died September 24 at the Potomac home of his daughter, Janet. "Last week in synagogue," the rabbi continued, "we read the passage where Moses commanded his listener to live life." Nat Shinderman did that. He loved his family, he loved golf, he was an avid tennis player earlier in life, and he loved to follow team sports and play poker and bridge. He was GHI's (Greenbelt Homes, Inc.) first and only Director Emeritus and an officer and guiding light to the organization since its founding in 1952.

"He was a paragon, a man of the utmost integrity, and you knew exactly where you stood with him at all times." The rabbi stood just above Nat's plain pine coffin to eulogize the man who became a Greenbelt legend in the years since his arrival from New York in the 1940s. A large crowd, which included GHI officers and employees, Mayor Judith Davis and representatives of several Greenbelt organizations, attended the service.

"He was one of the best Jews I ever met," the rabbi continued, "because he viewed the world with holiness. He didn't come to the synagogue very often, but that's not important. Actually, he was one of the actual builders of this synagogue, brick by brick."

"It took two years and it was a little hard to motivate some of the workers who were drawn by the novelty of building a synagogue, but Nat kept at it to the

end. He taught me how you have to give to the world.

"He had an openness of manner that children liked. His grandchildren, Jennifer and Stephanie, talked to him about things they wouldn't share with anyone else. His original goal in life had been to be a math teacher, and later in life, he tutored children in math or whatever else he felt they needed to know," the rabbi, said, reminding the hearers in conclusion that "A good name endures forever."

Daughters Janet (Pincus) and Susan (Daves) and son-in-law Dr. Harold Pincus spoke of their love. In failing health, Nat had sold the GHI home on Westway and gone to live with Janet and Harold's family about six months ago. However, even in a wheelchair he was driven from his home in Potomac to weekly bridge games with Greenbelt seniors. He came in first place less than three weeks ago.

Harold remembered regular Tuesday night dinners at Sir Walter Raleigh where he and Nat would argue about sports. "He drove me crazy," the doctor said, with tears in his eyes.

Burial was in King David Memorial Gardens, Falls Church.

Messages of sympathy may be sent to the Pincus residence, 11317 Berger Terrace, Potomac, Maryland.

Orchid Show & Sale

Hundreds of orchids transform the Arboretum's Administration Building into a botanical paradise during this annual show at the U.S. National Arboretum October 7 and 8, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and October 9, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Learn how to grow orchids and purchase some to grow at home. Admission is free.

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Return Concert by Flutar Features Flute and Guitar

by Konrad Herling

A week from Saturday, October 7, at 8 p.m. Flutar, comprised of Joseph Cunliffe, on flute, and Giorgia Cavallaro on guitar, return to the Greenbelt Arts Center for their second visit. They have been performing as a duo for nearly two decades and have consistently received high critical acclaim both in the U.S. and abroad. Flutist Joseph Cunliffe is an active performer, composer, recording artist, and co-founder of Flutar, now in its 20th year. He is a graduate of Catholic University of America and received a B.M. in flute performance. As an artist, he is widely recognized in both the classical and contemporary styles. Cunliffe has performed at the Kennedy Center, Phillips Gallery, Corcoran Gallery, and Wolf Trap Barns and gave a personal concert of classical and jazz music for flutist James Galway. He most recently performed Brazilian music for Vice President and Mrs. Gore and for the recipients of the 1998 Hispanic Heritage Awards. As a studio musician, his unique woodwind sound, style, and approach to improvisation can be found on numerous recordings. Cunliffe is featured on a new release "The Creation" with jazz great Chris Vadala, and its creator Burnett Thompson.

Cavallaro

Giorgia Cavallaro is one of Washington D.C.'s leading guitarists. Performances include the Phillips Gallery, the Corcoran Gallery, numerous embassies and colleges, the Kennedy Center, the Barns at Wolf Trap, the State Department and worldwide auditoriums including a command per-

formance for the president of El Salvador. As a recording artist, Cavallaro, guitarist and co-founder of the group Flutar recorded "Dreams of Suchitlan" with flutist Joseph Cunliffe, a CD inspired by tour work to El Salvador in 1991. They have since been invited back to that country several times.

Cavallaro's work as a composer is featured on Flutar's most recent recording "Journey's Crossing" where original music is meant to illustrate the plight of endangered animals and bring a message of awareness through music for conservation and preservation. Cavallaro is on the faculty at University of Maryland and Catholic University of America where she directs the school's programs in guitar.

The two together produce a style they describe as "Folk-Fusion." The duo has toured extensively throughout El Salvador and the United States sharing their music to diverse audiences and has appeared on national radio and television.

Arts Auction

The annual arts auction follows Flutar, Wednesday evening, October 11, at 6 p.m. at the Greenbelt fire house. The event organizer is Jan Weber.

Fragrance Herbs Discovery Station

Get a whiff of how herbs contribute their essential oils to many common cosmetic products during this free informal, drop-in station for all ages. It will be held October 7-8, 1-3 p.m. in the National Herb Garden at the U.S. National Arboretum.

Patuxent Refuge Public Programs Registration

All programs are free, but require advance reservations. Reservations are taken by calling 301-497-5887. Please advise of any special needs to be accommodated. Visit the web: patuxent.fws.gov or join the listserve to get current announcements.

North Tract

The North Tract is located on Rt. 198 between the Baltimore-Washington Parkway and Rt 32.

Talons in the Sky

Sun., Oct. 8, 9-11:30 a.m., ages 16 and older.

Discover the role that birds of prey have in the ecosystem and learn to identify them on this 2-4 mile guided hike. Binoculars and field guides recommended.

Butterflies: Nature's Festival of Colors

Sun., Oct. 8, 9:30-noon, ages 8 and older with adult.

Discover the beauty and role of butterflies in nature on this guided three mile hike. Field guides, binoculars and water recommended.

Fall Plant Walk

Sun., Oct. 15, 8:30-10:30 a.m., ages 16 and older.

Learn to identify wildflower seed heads and autumn plants on this guided walk. Bring field guides.

Visitor Center

The Visitor Center is located on Powder Mill Road between the Baltimore-Washington Parkway and Rt. 197.

Close Encounters of a Scaley Kind

Mon., Oct. 9, 10:30-11:30 a.m., all ages welcome.

Discover some of the myths about snakes during this live snake presentation.

Local Festival Art Winner Shows Work at Courthouse

by Millie O'Dea

Greenbelt overflows with talented, special people and perhaps it is about to discover its own Grandma Moses. A little bit of a stretch considering that Pauline Edwards Grant, winner of a prize for her art at the Labor Day Festival, discovered her talent and began painting at the early age of 60. Now 74, Grant began painting in oils. She wanted to try watercolor but for a long time people kept convincing her that watercolor was too difficult. When she finally decided to try her hand at watercolor, her first attempt took her only 25 minutes and it hangs on her living room wall today.



Pauline Edwards Grant

Born Pauline Edwards in North Wales, she was always interested in art as a child and feels her creativity was influenced by her rich Welsh heritage. In her teens, she lived in a small town near Liverpool, England where she experienced bombing during World War II. While taking clothes off the line one day, she lived through anti-aircraft

gun strafing. All this must account for her very positive attitude about life. She shared, "I've had a wonderful life. I don't sweat the small stuff as it causes problems and takes too much energy."

In England, Grant was a secretary to the "Don" in a ladies college, part of Cambridge University. "I saw Churchill several times," she tossed into the conversation. She married her British husband, George Henry Grant, and the couple came to jobs in Washington, D.C. They had three girls and a boy and now have six grandchildren. She was proud to note that all of her children were schooled in Prince George's County.

Grant later lived in Palmer Park where she knew Sugar Ray Leonard and made his first boxing robe to wear at the Olympics in Montreal. Among her many achievements, she was on the United Way Board for 32 years and was one of the first people on the Advisory Committee for Senior University at the University of Maryland. The "celebrity wall" in her home holds photographs of Clinton, Glendening, Sugar Ray and others.

Grant moved to Charlestowne Village shortly after her husband died 16 years ago and loves the city of Greenbelt. She feels that "Prince George's County is a special place and I love it more than my homeland."

Two paintings by Grant, "Disappearing Depression" and "Birds of Paradise," will be entered in the Courthouse Exhibition for Greenbelt Artists by invitation of the Prince George's Arts Council. The exhibit will run from the end of September through October with a possible extension through mid-January.

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Other Events this Fall:

The Annual Art Auction at the Greenbelt Fire House
Wednesday, October 11, 2000, 6 PM

"Doctor Faustus" by Christopher Marlowe,
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October 20 - November 11 at the Arts Center

The Harold Anderson Trio, Sunday, November 5, 2000, 7 PM
at the Arts Center

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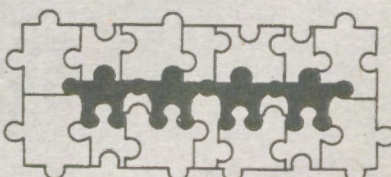


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POLICE BLOTTER

Based on information released by the Greenbelt Police Department. Dates and times are those when police were first contacted about incidents.

Armed Robbery

Spellman Overpass, Sept. 15, 1:37 p.m., two youths robbed a man of currency and an ATM card, demanded his PIN, and fled. They used the ATM card at two locations before the man could cancel it. The suspects are described as two black males 16 to 18 years of age, one 5'6" and 155 lbs. and wearing a white T-shirt with "SD 01-01-00" written on the front and the other one 5'11" and 200 lbs. wearing a black T-shirt and armed with a silver handgun.

Area of Breezewood Drive and Springhill Lane, Sept. 19, 9:31 p.m., a male was walking down the sidewalk when he was approached by three male youths. One asked if he could have a drag off his cigarette. After doing so, he displayed a revolver and announced a robbery. A second youth displayed a knife and threatened to stab the victim. After obtaining the victim's wallet, bookbag and money, the robbers fled toward Breezewood Court. The suspects are described as (1) black, 15 years of age, and 5'10", with black hair and a medium complexion, wearing a black coat with a hood and a blue and white bandanna around his neck and armed with a revolver, and (2) black, 15 years of age, and 5'10", with black hair and a medium complexion, wearing a grey hooded sweatshirt and a blue and white bandanna and armed with a dagger-type knife. No detailed description was available for the third.

6200 block of Breezewood Drive, Sept. 20, 8:21 p.m., a man

was walking from his residence to the Beltway Plaza Mall when he was approached by four men who asked him for a cigarette. He told them that he didn't smoke. They got into a vehicle described as a brown station wagon with tinted windows and began to follow him. They then got back out of the vehicle, approached the man, displayed a chrome handgun, and demanded money. After obtaining money and jewelry, they got back into the vehicle and fled toward Cherrywood Lane. The suspects are described as a black male in his 20s, 6'0", with a medium build and black hair, and a black male in his 20s, 5'8", with a medium build and black hair. No description was given for the other two suspects.

6000 block of Springhill Drive, Sept. 20, 9:06 p.m., a man was walking down the street when he was approached by two male youths. One produced a handgun and attempted to rob the man, who pushed him away and fled. The suspects may have left the area in what the victim described as a grey sedan with tinted windows.

Assault

Eleanor Roosevelt High School, Sept. 14, 11:15 a.m., a 17-year-old male non-resident student struck another student in the face. A school resource officer requested to have the student formally charged with assault.

Areas of Breezewood Drive and Springhill Lane, Sept. 15, 4:09 p.m., two 11-year-old Greenbelt Middle School students were alleged to have knocked a 12-year-

old student to the ground and kicked and hit him. The matter will be handled by school authorities.

Beltway Plaza Mall, Sept. 15, 8:23 p.m., a 10-year-old boy was followed by four youths as he left the mall. He believes that one of them pointed a gun at him. The suspects are described as four black males: (1) 16 years of age, 6'3", and 130 lbs., with hair in a large Afro style and wearing a black T-shirt and black jeans and possibly armed with a handgun; (2) 16 years of age, 5'6", and 120 lbs., wearing a black shirt and black pants; (3) 14 years of age, 5'5", and 120 lbs., wearing a black shirt and black pants; and (4) 14 years of age, 5'4", and 125 lbs., wearing a black bandanna, black shirt, and black pants.

6100 block of Breezewood Drive, Sept. 16, 3:17 p.m., a 12-year-old boy was knocked to the ground, kicked, and punched by five males. One of them stuck what the victim believes may have been a handgun in his ribs and told him to shut up. The suspects are described as black and 18 years of age: (1) 5'7" and light skinned, with a thin build and wearing an orange shirt with a black #8 on the front; (2) 5'5" and with a thin build, wearing a gray hooded sweatshirt and black jeans; (3) 5'7" and wearing a black long-sleeve T-shirt, black gloves, black jeans, a black stocking cap, and a Walkman with headphones on his head; and (4) 5'7" and wearing a black long-sleeve T-shirt and black jeans. No further detailed description was available for the fifth.

10 block of Parkway, Sept. 20, 9:16 p.m., a 39-year-old male resident was arrested and charged with three counts of assault and two counts of child abuse. The children reported that their father had threatened them with a machete-type knife during an argument.

The man was released to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a district court commissioner.

Drugs

7700 block of Hanover Parkway, Sept. 15, 3:07 p.m., an officer observed an individual with a group in the parking lot suddenly walk in between some parked vehicles when he saw the officer approaching. The officer stopped the group, spoke with them, and let them go. He then checked the area around the parked vehicles and found a bag containing several baggies of suspected marijuana. The matter is under investigation.

6100 block of Breezewood Court, Sept. 17, 9:40 p.m., a 33-year-old male non-resident was arrested and charged with possession of paraphernalia. Officers observed several people drinking alcoholic beverages in the parking lot. A computer check revealed that one had an open warrant with the Prince George's County sheriff's department. He was arrested and was found to be in possession of paraphernalia commonly used to smoke marijuana. He was released on citation pending trial.

Driving while Intoxicated

6000 block of Greenbelt Road, Sept. 20, 11:26 p.m., a 44-year-old female non-resident was arrested and charged with driving while intoxicated, driving under the influence, and failure to reduce speed to avoid a collision after investigation of a traffic accident. She was released on citations pending trial.

Disorderly Conduct

Beltway Plaza Mall, Sept. 19, 5:25 p.m., a 22-year-old Greenbelt resident was arrested and charged with disorderly conduct. Officers responding to a report of a fight observed the man in a fight with mall security. When an officer attempted to detain the man, he became disorderly, yelling and causing a group of onlookers to gather.

The man was released on citation pending trial.

Burglary and Theft

Holiday Inn in the 7200 block of Hanover Drive, Sept. 14, 11:49 a.m., a checkbook was stolen from a guest's room.

6400 block of Ivy Lane, Sept. 15, 2:07 p.m., a laptop computer was stolen from an office suite.

1 court of Gardenway, Sept. 16, 12:56 p.m., lawn and garden supplies were stolen from the front yard of a residence.

Beltway Plaza Mall, Sept. 19, 10:14 a.m., an office was entered by unknown means and two portable two-way radios were taken.

Vandalism

7800 block of Hanover Parkway, Sept. 14, 10:42 a.m., a bus stop bench had graffiti spray-painted on it.

9300 block of Edmonston Road, Sept. 15, 6:06 a.m., several apartment doors were spray-painted with profane language.

Braden Field, Sept. 15, 2:48 p.m., a football goalpost was torn down. Five youths were seen fleeing the field.

Roosevelt Center, Sept. 18, 12:56 p.m., four umbrellas in the center were damaged by unknown means.

Vehicle Crimes

The following vehicles were reported stolen: a red four-door 1997 Mercury Marquis with West Virginia tags 8BG449, Sept. 18, from Beltway Plaza Mall, and a black two-door 1997 Plymouth Neon with Maryland tags EZL 778, Sept. 20, from the 6200 block of Springhill Court.

Vandalisms to and thefts from vehicles were reported in the following areas: 9300 block of Edmonston Road, 9000 block of Breezewood Terrace, 6200 block of Breezewood Court, 7900 block of Lakecrest Drive, 6400 block of Ivy Lane, 7100 block of Greenbelt Road, and 7600 block of Hanover Parkway.

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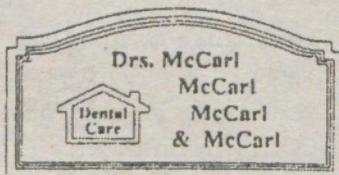
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A Greenbelt Gardener

by Rosie Rhubarb

It is time to enjoy the last few weeks of this year's summer garden. Until a frost, when the temperatures drop to 32° at night, the annual flowers will keep blooming and the annual vegetables will keep producing. I find this is a mellow time of year, as it is a time to enjoy the garden before the cold autumn weather sweeps away the remnants of summer.

Summer blooming annual flowers such as impatiens, marigold, zinnia, and cosmos are still in bloom. Some of the plants are large and will keep blooming well and vigorously right up until the night they are killed by frost. I still have cleome, zinnia, impatiens, and globe amaranth that look every bit as good as they have all summer.

Some gardeners plant perennial flowers that come back every year to ensure flowers in the garden till the end of the season. Two examples of fine, reliable late blooming perennials are the asters in front of the post office and sedum near the entrance of the Community Center. Goldenrod, obedient plant, and some types of mums are other late bloomers.

Also still in bloom around the city are some roses. There are some in bloom near the entrance to the city at Southway and Greenbelt Road and in the parking lot next to the Community Center.

Vegetables

Tomatoes, peppers, beans, and squash will keep producing until frost. Gardeners will have noticed, however, that the cooler nights have meant a decrease in vegetable production.

Winter squash and gourds should be harvested before a frost. Low temperatures damage them and reduce their ability to be kept in storage for many weeks, and that reduces the big advantage of having winter squash. To increase their keepability, harden them off by placing them in sun for a few days. Turn them so all parts get in the sun.

Salad and cooking greens will not be affected by a frost. They can be harvested until a hard freeze - temperatures in the upper 20's at night.

Greenbelt Target Opens October 8

by Nelda Young

Target, a discount department store in Beltway Plaza, will celebrate its grand opening on Sunday, October 8, at 8 a.m. Greenbelt and Prince George's County officials are expected to be present for the ribbon-cutting. Approximately \$350,000 in sales is expected on the first day.

The company's list of products is long and varied - from apparel to baby needs, electronics to jewelry, pet supplies to sports equipment. A refreshment center with tables and chairs is available so customers can sit down and have something to eat.

Store officials say that since Target opened its first store in Roseville, Minnesota in 1962, it has been known for its community involvement. In addition to making grants to help prevent family violence, shelter the homeless and protect battered wives, Target makes donations to communities where its stores are located. Take Charge of Education, Target's school fundraising program, provides millions in scholarships and grants for deserving schools, students, and teachers.

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Rays of Hope Candlelight Vigil

The National Coalition for Cancer Survivorship (NCCS) is calling for all cancer survivors and those whose lives have been touched by cancer to join at a national candlelight vigil. Join participating Americans to broaden awareness while seeking an end to the fear, pain and suffering caused by cancer. This year's event will kick off a weekend of Hope, Health, and Healing. Education and information displays will include the nationally acclaimed Child Cancer Awareness Quilt and Everyday Heroes presentation, Ribbon of Hope and Wall of Courage exhibits.

The Candlelight Vigil will begin Friday, October 6, at the U.S. Capitol, 5:30 to 9:30 p.m. The NCCS Ribbon of Hope Awards Gala will be held Saturday, October 7, 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. Call 301-650-9127. The Rock 'N Race to Fight Colon Cancer will be held Sunday, October 8, at 3rd & Madison Street, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

For information call 202-223-7297.

Heart Arrhythmia Lecture on Oct. 2

People who experience dizziness, fatigue, fluttering in the chest, or a fast heart beat may have heart arrhythmia. Dr. Randall Brockman will discuss the diagnosis and treatment options for this heart disorder at a free lecture on Monday, October 2 at 7:15 p.m. at Washington Adventist Hospital (7600 Carroll Ave., Takoma Park). To register, call 301-681-6800.

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People with depression often feel alone, not realizing that depression affects many people. In fact, one out of every five adults may experience depression at some point in their lives.

Attendees will have the opportunity to hear an educational presentation on depression and

The CCC Reunion Will Be Sept. 30

Every fall, former members of the Civilian Conservation Corps (dubbed the "CCC Boys") reunite at Shenandoah National Park to reminisce and share their love for the park they helped create. This year, the CCC Boys reunion will be held on September 30.

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Other contestants join this year's Little Miss Greenbelt 2000, Kimberly Carey, in celebrating her victory. From left (slightly hidden) Junior Miss 2000 first alternate Marie Crenwelge; Krysten Ridgeway, Little Miss 2000 first alternate; Stephanie Holland, Junior Miss 1999; Carey; Melanie Gilkerson, Junior Miss 2000 third alternate; Sophia Kean, Junior Miss Photogenic; and Hailey Chroniger, Little Miss third alternate. - photo by Jeannie Smith

Little Miss Greenbelt Title Goes to Kimberly Carey

by Altoria Bell Ross

For the last three Labor Day weekends, pageant peers have voted Kimberly Carey most spirited. This year, she got the crown, too. "I was very surprised," said Little Miss Greenbelt. In addition to being most spirited, the 10-year old was second runner up last year and first runner up the year before.

A fifth grader at Greenbelt Elementary School, Carey said she helps her classmates settle disputes as a peer mediator, serves as a safety patrol, and sings in the cho-

rus. Outside of school, Carey has played soccer with the Greenbelt Boys and Girls Club and delivers newspapers for the News Review. She also enjoys handling money and often helps her mother, Debbie Carey, who is a cashier at a local car wash.

Carey is counting on a career in law enforcement like her uncle, who was a Prince George's police officer for 25 years. Her other family members include an older sister, Jennifer, 23, a brother Michael, 21, a dog, Holly, a cat,

Tom, and a hermit crab, Buddy. Carey, who danced to Mambo Number 5 with Cheri Bailey and Melanie Gilkerson during the event, says girls should really give the pageant a try. "Just have fun," she says. "Don't worry about winning."

Little Miss Runners Up: first runner up - Krysten Ridgeway; second runner up and Miss Congeniality - Melanie Pope; third runner up - Hailey Chroniger; and most photogenic - Katelynn Chaney.

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three dogs, Autumn, Hannah, and Rebel. Her mother, Linda Ivy, is employed by a Greenbelt law office and her father, Kelly Ivy, works for Amtrak in Washington, D.C. Her siblings are Kelly, Jr., 20; Jamie, 17; and Amanda, 15. "They all stuck by me every step of the way."

Ivy encourages other girls to

join the pageant next year. "Do it. It's a lot of fun. You'll have a great time."

Junior Runners Up: first runner up - Marie Crenwelge; second runner up and Miss Congeniality - Tiffany Axtell; third runner up - Melanie Gilkerson; and Miss Photogenic - Sophia Kean.



This year's Junior Miss Greenbelt, Emily Ivy, waves to the crowd as she rides in the Labor Day parade. - photo by Sharon Natoli

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